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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – R.W.S. & S. Department – Allegations of irregularities in execution of the work "MVS to B.Mattam and other habitations in YSR Kadapa District – Disciplinary Proceedings initiated against Sri A.Venkateswarlu, the then Asst. Engineer, RWS&S, B.Mattam Project, YSR Kadapa District – Individual expired on 17.05.2016 – Further action abated under Rule 9 (7) of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.VI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 59, **Dated 16.02.2022.**
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.1350, dated 10.12.2018 of P.R. & R.D. (Vig.VI) Department.
2. G.O.Rt.Nos.1357, dated 10.12.2018 of P.R. & R.D. (Vig.VI) Department.
3. From the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Vijayawada, letter No.Vig.IV/ RWS&S/2317/2018, dated 22.04.2019.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, in the references 1st and 2nd read above, Government have initiated common disciplinary proceedings under Rule 24 of A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 duly framing the following article of charge under Rule 20 of said Rules against Sri A.Venkateswarlu, the then Asst. Engineer, RWS&S, B.Mattam Project, YSR Kadapa District on the allegations of irregularities in execution of the work "MVS to B.Mattam and other habitations in YSR Kadapa District, with a direction to submit his written statement of defence:-

Charge:
That, Sri A.Venkateswarlu, while working as Asst. Engineer, RWS&S, B.Mattam Project, YSR Kadapa District has committed certain grave irregularities while executing the work "MVS to B.Mattam and other habitations in YSR Kadapa District" in as much as (i) he has recommended and released 100% payment for Sluice valve & Air valve chambers without recording the valve chamber measurements; (ii) without obtaining the Quality Control inspection certificate and also without commissioning the entire project he has recommended and paid 100% payment, thereby caused a loss of an amount of Rs.77,40,925.36/- to the Government.

2. And whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Vijayawada has stated that, the Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Kadapa returned the references 1st and 2nd read above in respect of charge framed against Sri A.Venkateswarlu, the then Asst. Engineer, RWS&S, B.Mattam Project on the allegations of irregularities in execution of the work MVS to B.Mattam and other habitations in YSR Kadapa District and also submitted that Sri A.Venkateswarlu, the then Asst. Engineer, RWS&S, B.Mattam Project, YSR Kadapa District was expired on 17.05.2016 due to ill health.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter, have decided to abate further action against Sri A.Venkateswarlu, the then Asst. Engineer, RWS&S, B.Mattam Project, YSR Kadapa District, as he expired on 17.05.2016, subject to recovery of loss caused, if any, by him, from the terminal benefits of the deceased, under Rule 9(7) of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

4. Accordingly, Government hereby abate further action against Sri A.Venkateswarlu, the then Asst. Engineer, RWS&S, B.Mattam Project, YSR Kadapa District, as he expired on 17.05.2016, subject to recovery of loss caused, if any, by him, from the terminal benefits of the deceased, under Rule 9(7) of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

(P.T.O.)

5. The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Vijayawada shall take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Legal Heir of Late (Sri) A.Venkateswarlu, Asst. Engineer,
RWS&S, B.Mattam Project, YSR Kadapa District through
the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Vijayawada.
The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, A.P., Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The Accountant General (A&E), A.P., Vijayawada.
The Secretary to A.P.Vigilance Commission.
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